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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Appl. No.:** 10/689,345  
**Applicant(s):** BEAUMONT, Mark  
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**Title:** Method For Load Balancing a Line of Parallel Processing Elements  
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**RESPONSE TO EXAMINER-INITIATED INTERVIEW**

In response to the examiner-initiated interview of 27 February 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.